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RE: Thunder Bay Regional Health Sciences Centre Research Ethics Board (TBRHSC REB)  
July 2017 Membership composition list

Composition of the Thunder Bay Regional Health Sciences Centre Research Ethics Board (TBRHSC REB) as of July 2017. Each core member has at least one substitute:

# Research Ethics Board

Dr. Peter Voros (core 1 of 3) REB Chair	Member knowledgeable in relevant research disciplines, fields and methodologies covered by the REB
Ms. Michelle Allain (core 1 of 1) REB Vice Chair	Member knowledgeable in ethics
Dr. Chandar Rao (core 1 of 2)	Member knowledgeable in relevant research disciplines, fields and methodologies covered by the REB - Physician
Dr. Salima Oukachbi (core 1 of 2)	Member knowledgeable in relevant research disciplines, fields and methodologies covered by the REB - Physician
Ms. Shelley Tees (core 2 of 3)	Member knowledgeable in relevant research disciplines, fields and methodologies covered by the REB
Dr. Simon Lees (core 3 of 3)	Member knowledgeable in relevant research disciplines, fields and methodologies covered by the REB
Dr. Mariette Brennan (core 1 of 1)	Member knowledgeable in the relevant law And Member with a primary interest that is not in the area of research
Mr. Bill Gregorash (core 1 of 2)	Community member who has no affiliation with the institution
Mr. Claude Camirand (core 2 of 2)	Community member who has no affiliation with the institution

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Dr. Richard Matthews (substitute 1 of 1)	Member knowledgeable in ethics
Dr. Valentina Peeva (substitute 1 of 2)	Member knowledgeable in relevant research disciplines, fields and methodologies covered by the REB – Physician
<del>Dr. James Yi</del> Replacement TBD (substitute 2 of 2)	Member knowledgeable in relevant research disciplines, fields and methodologies covered by the REB –Physician
Ms. Trina Diner (substitute 1 of 2)	Member knowledgeable in relevant research disciplines, fields and methodologies covered by the REB
<del>Ms. Lorella Piirik</del> Replacement TBD (substitute 2 of 2)	Member knowledgeable in relevant research disciplines, fields and methodologies covered by the REB
<del>Dr. Karen Drake</del> Replacement TBD (substitute 1 of 1)	Member knowledgeable in the relevant law And Member with a primary interest that is not in the area of research
Helen Cromarty (substitute 1 of 1)	Community member who has no affiliation with the institution

The REB will also utilize ad hoc consultation when required.

The TBRHSC REB operates in compliance with and is constituted in accordance with the requirement of the Canadian Institutes of Health Research, Natural Sciences and Engineering Research Council of Canada, and Social Sciences and Humanities Research Council of Canada, **TCPS 2 Tri-Council Policy Statement: Ethical conduct for Research Involving Humans**, December 2014; the International Conference on Harmonization of Good Clinical Practices; Part C Division 5 of the Food and Drug Regulations of Health Canada; and, the provisions of the Ontario Personal Health Information Protection Act 2004 and its application regulations. TBRHSC REB is registered with the US Department of Health & Human Service under the IRB registration number IRB00004396.

Signing authority for the TBRHSC REB:

Chair: Dr. Peter Voros  
Vice Chair: Ms. Michelle Allain  
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